

ROBERT DAMMINGER

**HON. DONALD NORCROSS**

OF NEW JERSEY

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Wednesday, January 12, 2022*

Mr. NORCROSS. Madam Speaker, a native of Paulsboro, New Jersey, Commissioner Director Dammingier attended and graduated from Paulsboro High School. His commitment to public service began as he was elected to hold a seat on the Paulsboro Council, which he served in graciously for eleven years. He was a member of the Public works, Finance and the Water Sewer Committees as well as Chair of the Public Safety Committee for 10 years.

During his tenure, Commissioner Director Dammingier has dutifully served eight terms over the span of eleven years on the County Board. Gloucester County being home to roughly three-hundred thousand residents, Commissioner Director Dammingier has led his fellow commissioners on the mission to provide the highest level of service while also enhancing the quality of life in the County.

Commissioner Director Dammingier's dedication to Gloucester County and its residents has resulted in efforts to permanently preserve more than twenty-thousand acres of farmland and open space. He also helped to secure millions in federal and state funding to improve the county's roads and infrastructure. Commissioner Director Dammingier is a trailblazer, credited with making Gloucester County the first county in the great state of New Jersey to regionalize the correctional system, putting the county on pace to save taxpayers a quarter-of-a-billion dollars over the next twenty-five years. Although his successor will be chosen in the coming months, it is evident that Commissioner Director Dammingier's impact on Gloucester County will be appreciated for years to come.

CONGRATULATING JAN OLIVER ON  
HER MANY YEARS OF SERVICE

**HON. BLAINE LUETKEMEYER**

OF MISSOURI

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. LUETKEMEYER. Madam Speaker, I want to take a moment to recognize and congratulate, the Committee's Chief Counsel, Jan Oliver on her upcoming retirement. Jan has been a stalwart for small businesses for years and has worked in public service for decades. From her time with now Senator PORTMAN to working at the White House to her service to this Committee, her steady guidance and

counsel has always been welcomed. Jan, thank you for the thoughtful insight and analysis on all issues, including and especially those pertaining to regulations and its impact on small businesses.

TRIBUTE TO MRS. JUANITA  
CARRERE MITCHELL FOR CELE-  
BRATING 110 YEARS OF LIFE

**HON. DANNY K. DAVIS**

OF ILLINOIS

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Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois. Madam Speaker, life is precious, even if you live it for only a brief period of time. When you are blessed to live 110 years, one hundred and ten productive years, and be in relatively good health, good enough to talk several minutes with a Congressman who called your daughter to get some information, you are truly blessed.

Mrs. Juanita Mitchell was born December 15, 1911 in Nestor, Louisiana to Acklin and Cinderella Carrere. She remembers her grandmother cooking and people working in the field and harvesting the crops. She describes her grandfather as White, and remarks his family distanced themselves from him after he married a black woman, her grandmother.

Mrs. Mitchell and her family relocated to Chicago in 1919 following the death of her father. Her father left home going to New Orleans in preparation for war service. During his time in New Orleans, he took sick, was diagnosed with pneumonia, which became known as the plague. It was the loss of her father that prompted her mother to come to Chicago with her two girls. Mrs. Mitchell's relocation to Chicago was unsettling, when she came to Chicago in 1919 as race riots erupted. Mrs. Mitchell has vivid memories of these experiences and shares the events and how it felt as an 8-year-old child. She recalls hiding behind the piano in her uncle's home with her mother and younger sister. Juanita Mitchell lived through the Chicago race riots, the depression and segregated neighborhoods. She went on to marry and raise two children. Juanita Mitchell lived on 35th and Giles in Chicago. Her aunt and uncle, Dr. Carl White had a grocery store and his medical office across the street from Olivet Baptist Church.

Mrs. Mitchell attended Sunday School and church at Olivet Baptist Church. She attended Drake Elementary and Hyde Park High School. She then went on to business school and Washburn Trade where she studied Tailoring. Juanita and Morant Mitchell were married May 3, 1934. They celebrated 50 years of marriage in 1984. Mr. Mitchell died in 1987. Mrs. Mitchell was always civic minded. She is a life-long Eastern Star and is a past worthy matron.

In moving to Flossmoor at the age 85, she continued her community engagement, serving on the beautiful Action Committee for her subdivision and attending village and association meetings at the age of 110 years old, and she continues to be a member of the "Belles of Ballantrae".

Congratulations to Mrs. Juanita Carrere Mitchell, on living a long and outstanding life.

I thank Mary for bringing her mother to our attention. Mary, John, and other members of the family have been truly blessed to have her with them for all of their lives. May she continue to live and enjoy life.

**SENATE COMMITTEE MEETINGS**

Title IV of Senate Resolution 4, agreed to by the Senate of February 4, 1977, calls for establishment of a system for a computerized schedule of all meetings and hearings of Senate committees, subcommittees, joint committees, and committees of conference. This title requires all such committees to notify the Office of the Senate Daily Digest—designated by the Rules Committee—of the time, place and purpose of the meetings, when scheduled and any cancellations or changes in the meetings as they occur.

As an additional procedure along with the computerization of this information, the Office of the Senate Daily Digest will prepare this information for printing in the Extensions of Remarks section of the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD on Monday and Wednesday of each week.

Meetings scheduled for Thursday, January 13, 2022 may be found in the Daily Digest of today's RECORD.

**MEETINGS SCHEDULED****JANUARY 26**

10 a.m.

Committee on Armed Services

Committee on Foreign Relations

To receive a closed joint briefing on U.S. policy on Afghanistan.

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Committee on Energy and Natural Resources

Subcommittee on National Parks

To hold hearings to examine the implementation of the Great American Outdoors Act.

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**FEBRUARY 1**

3 p.m.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources

To hold hearings to examine the state of the U.S. territories.

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